

# St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

**30<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time – Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

**Next week's readings:** Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2017

31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Malachi 1:14-2:2, 8-10

Ps 130(131)

1 Thessalonians 2:7-9, 13

Matthew 23:1-12

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There are two collections. The first (Presbytery collection) is for the support of the parish priest and follows the sermon. The second is for the running of the parish (planned giving, envelopes) and occurs after the Intercessions.

**Centralised Baptism Preparation / Baptism Parent Information Sessions:** - Clergy, Staff & Baptism Coordinators from the Parishes St. Columba's Ballarat North, Our Lady Help of Christians Wendouree, St. Alipius Ballarat East, St. Patrick's Cathedral, St. Aloysius Redan and St. James' Sebastopol have been meeting to discuss the centralisation of the Baptism preparation process. The next sessions will be on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 10.00 am & 7.00 pm** and monthly thereafter on the first Thursday of each month, all families wishing to have their children (under 7) baptised will be invited to attend these preparation sessions at St. Patrick's Cathedral. For any enquiries please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

## Mass Times;

<b>Monday</b>	12.05pm Cathedral
<b>Tuesday</b>	12.05pm Cathedral
<b>Wednesday</b>	12.05pm Cathedral
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9.30am Redan</b> 12.05pm Cathedral
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9.30am Sebastopol</b> 12.05pm Cathedral
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am Cathedral

## Sacrament of Penance

Cathedral Friday 11.00am, Saturday 11.30 am

## Weekend Masses

<b>Cathedral</b>	<b>St Aloysius</b>	<b>St James'</b>
6.30 pm Vigil	<b>6.00 pm Vigil</b>	
8.00 am	9.00 am	<b>10.30 am</b>
10.30 am		
5.00 pm		
<b>Rokewood Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 10.30am</b>		

**Recent Deaths:** Aileen Harris, Leo Leonard, Dot (Dorothy) O'Brien

## Anniversaries:

Herman Beckers, Russell 'John' Coad, Lyla Gallagher, Helena Iwanowski, Mons. Henry Nolan, Richard Reid, Leonard Tardrew, Libby Sullivan, Matthew Sullivan,

## Please remember in your Prayers the following:

Norah Best, James Burns Jr., Julie Delahenty, Jim Maher, Raymon Reed,

*\*If you would like a person prayed for, ask for their permission. Names will be included for the duration of ONE MONTH after which more time can be requested.*

**All Saints Day Mass – Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2017**

8am Mass – Redan

6pm Mass - Sebastopol

**BUPA Aged Care** - Prayer service at the BUPA Aged Care on **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 10.30am**. They will occur every second Thursday. All welcome.

# St. James' Parish Sebastopol

## Opportunities for Prayer

**Monday** 10.30 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament including Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Your presence is welcome.

## Dates to Remember:

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**

**10.15am**

Finance Committee Meeting

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November**

**2.30pm**

Good Shepherd Community Prayer Group

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November**

**9am**

Men's Breakfast

## Filipino Community

Rosary

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of month at 7pm

Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month at 2.30pm

## Remembrance Mass

The Funeral Ministry and Caring Group Teams are organising a Remembrance Mass which will be held on **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November at 10.30am**. This will be a time when we can all pray for and remember with love, the members of our families who have died. Morning tea will follow in the foyer. All welcome.

## Filipino Remembrance Mass

The Filipino Community invites you to attend their annual Remembrance Mass on **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November at 1pm**. Please note change of time. The celebrant will be Fr. Gerald Binegas. All welcome.

## Movie Luncheon at the Regent Theatre Ballarat

It's on **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 10am**. The movie is **Murder on the Orient Express** followed by high tea. Cost \$16 per person. Contact Anne Porter for more details. All welcome.

## New Planned Giving Envelopes

are available for collection in the foyer. Thank you to all contributors to the St. James's Parish Stewardship program. If you would like to join the Stewardship program by making a regular financial contribution to our Parish, you can do so by either direct debit or the envelopes. Please contact Jess Salazar at the Cathedral on 5331 2933 or Pauline in the Parish Office.

## MacKillop Family Group

Our outing for November will be an evening meal at the Sebastopol Bowling Club on **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November** at 6pm. Contact Ted & Ros for bookings.

## Prayer after Communion

*God, my creator, breathe on me, renew me, refresh me, extend my abilities, comfort me in adjusting to changes in health, mobility and activity. Body of Jesus Christ flow through every fibre of my being. Keep me well, and hope filled, always. Holy Spirit use me in my situation, for the good of others. Amen*

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## Catholic Missions – 'Whoever Drinks of The Water That I Shall Give, Will Never Thirst Again - John 4:14'

This year we are invited to share our support for the Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary in Nha Trang, Vietnam as they work tirelessly to provide critical community resources such as clean drinking water and medical care to the country's 12million forgotten farming families, living in the coastal mountain regions. Freecall: 1800 257 296 [catholicmission.org.au/Vietnam](http://catholicmission.org.au/Vietnam). Envelopes can be put in the collection over the coming weeks.

## Grief to Grace – Healing the Wounds of Abuse

A spiritual retreat for anyone who has suffered degradation or violation through physical, emotional, sexual or spiritual abuse. The retreat will be held April 8 – 13, 2018. To request an application contact Anne by emailing [info@griefftograceaus.org.au](mailto:info@griefftograceaus.org.au) or phone 0407704539. For more information visit [www.griefftograce.org](http://www.griefftograce.org)

## Mass at Pootilla Cemetery

Mass will be celebrated at Pootilla Cemetery (Bungaree) on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November, 9.30am. All welcome. Some chairs provided; BYO if possible. Info: ph. 5334 0450

**Year of Youth 2018** - 2018 is the Year of Youth in Australia starting Advent (3 December 2017). The Year of Youth theme is *Open New Horizons for Spreading Joy*. Year of Youth information is on Ballarat Diocese website [www.ballarat.catholic.org.au](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au) /Youth and Young Adult pages, or email [youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au](mailto:youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au)

**Nazareth House Auxiliary** - Annual Fete, Nazareth House, Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November, 10.00 am

# St. Aloysius Parish Redan

**Invitation to pray the Rosary** - Thursday morning at 9.00am before the 9.30am Mass

**Adoration and Exposition** – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month, 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm.

**Memorial Masses** - Masses will be held on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> November 6.00pm and Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November at 9.00am. This is an opportunity for us to come together to remember our loved ones who have died. The names of our loved ones will be recorded in our memorial book. You are invited to record the names and date of death on the form in the foyer of the church. You will also have the opportunity to light a candle in memory of your loved ones.

**Caring Circle** – this group will meet next Wednesday 1 November at 1pm in the Parish Centre. New members welcome

**Parish Ministries-** There are many groups within the parish that work tirelessly for our community. We will begin to meet with each group to show our appreciation and discuss the process and work of each group. We will begin with the **Counting Team** – This group will meet on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2pm for afternoon tea at the Presbytery. If anyone would like to join the counting team, you are more than welcome to attend this gathering.

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## Roster 4<sup>th</sup> / 5<sup>th</sup> November

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	Pauline Kendrick	Julie Wright	Nancy Conroy	Anthony Braybrook Kate Andrews	Norma McGuigan	Marg Coughlan	<b>Team 4</b> Michael Hayes Tony De Natris	<b>Team 3</b> Brian & Betty McCarty Mary Brown Adit Yal
9am	Bernadette Martin	Maria Van Ravenstein	Elaine Collier	Albert Dulfer Andy Naus	Nancy Chapman	Mary Brown		

**Children's Liturgy** – Val Dulfer

**Sharing the Word** - *Sharing the Word* is a free E-Library of Educational Resources for Catholic Ministry. *Sharing the Word* is an ongoing project of Catholic Mission Australia, and includes full texts of over 8000 open source ebooks, periodicals, podcasts and church documents. It is free and available at <http://sharingtheword.info/>

### "Family Matters Forum" Website Resource

For those who missed Fr Frank Brennan and the *Family Matters: Strengthening Respectful Relationships* opening address, you can now watch or listen to his entire presentation. Other resources can also be accessed via this page that has been built for your use. The site also contains information about workshops (Tuning in to Kids, Keeping the focus on children in blended families, having the suicide conversation and family violence) and prayers: [2017familymatters.weebly.com/](http://2017familymatters.weebly.com/)

### WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND - Invest in your most precious asset.....Your Marriage!

Forget life's tensions and interruptions and rekindle the closeness, intimacy, love and romance that brought you together. Recharge your relationship batteries and explore the precious nature of your marriage, allowing you both to share your feelings, hopes and dreams with each other in ways that normal, daily living tends to inhibit. *There is no group sharing. Couples and a priest present the weekend. It is based around Catholic values but couples of all faiths are welcome.*

**2017 Melbourne weekend date : 17-19 November, 2017** Starts 7pm on Friday. Ends 5pm Sunday. Accommodation and all meals provided. Information/Bookings: PH: Andre and Maria 0411 225 992

Email: [vicbookings@wwme.org.au](mailto:vicbookings@wwme.org.au) Website: [www.wwme.org.au](http://www.wwme.org.au)

**Asylum Seeker Fundraiser** - 2 pm – Sun Nov 19<sup>th</sup> "Sweet Monas" Gospel Choir will rock around the garden at 30 Waller Avenue, Newington to assist local asylum seekers and their families. Fun for all with singers, musicians, stalls, cakes, prize roses, face painting, games and competitions and afternoon tea.. Entry \$20 Children free. Inquiries 0401175045. All welcome.

